scheme for both retired and serving Central Government Servants across the Country; and

(b) if so, the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): (a) and (b) Government is examining the viability of introducing a Health Insurance Scheme for retired and serving employees of Central Government as a supplement to the Central Government Health Scheme. The details of the insurance scheme are yet to be firmed up.

Reservation in jobs for SC/ST/OBC

2793. SHRI S.S. AHLUWALIA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have given a commitment to enforce policy of reservation of jobs for the SC/ST and OBC;

(b) if so, details thereof;

(c) whether it is a fact that a Group of Ministers (GOM) was constituted to examine *inter-alia* the potential means of enforcing said reservation policy;

(d) if so, whether recommendations of the said GOM have since been received;

(e) if so, the details thereof, and

(f) the steps contemplated, if any, by Government on the basis of the GOM recomendation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): (a) and (b) The Government is committed to enforcing the policy of reservation for the SCs, STs and OBCs in its services according to the instructions issued from time to time.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) to (f) Do not arise.